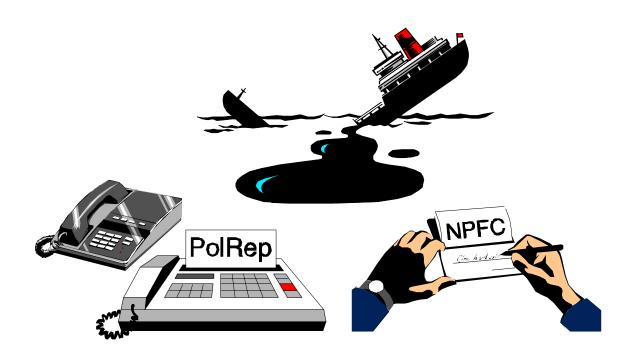
CHAPTER 2

Introduction to OPA and the NPFC



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The material in this chapter is designed to provide an overview of the background, mission, and organization of the National Pollution Funds Center. The material is divided into the following subchapters:

SUBCHAPTER	CONTAINS DETAILED INFORMATION ABOUT
Overview of OPA and NPFC	History of OPA and the OSLTF, NPFC roles and missions, Case Teams, and roles of organizations that use pollution funds.
NPFC Functional Contacts	Points of contact, including Regional Managers and Senior Management and their phone numbers and areas of responsibility.
National Response System Overview	Overview of the National Response System functions and components.
Acronyms	Acronyms commonly used by the environmental response community.

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